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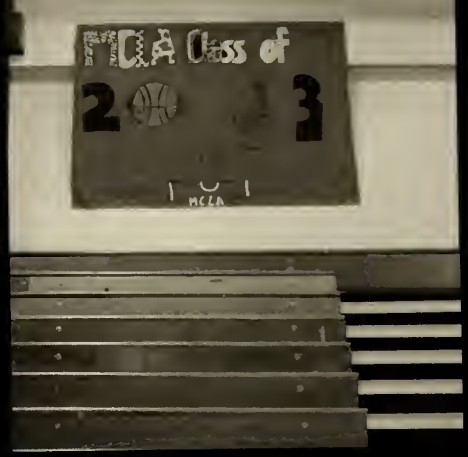
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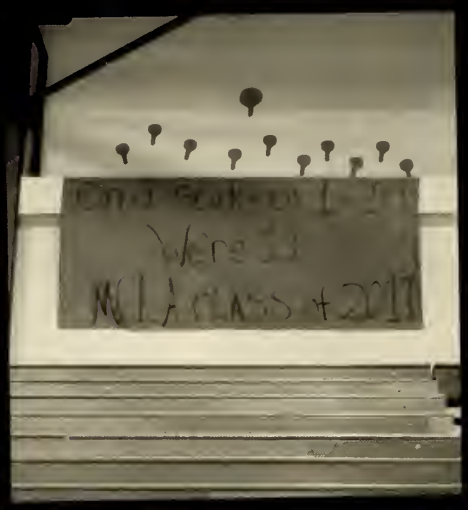

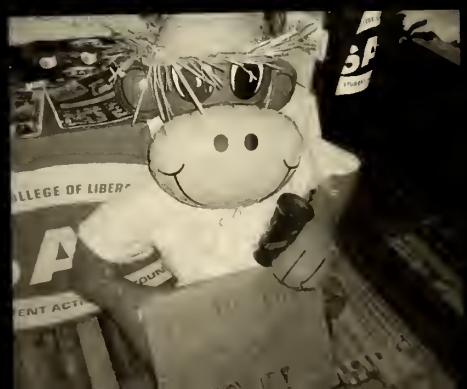

Dear Members of the Class of 2010:

On behalf of the Trustees, faculty, and staff of Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts, I am pleased to congratulate you on your graduation from MCLA.

You should be proud of the baccalaureate or master's degree you earned from MCLA. This is a significant accomplishment, one that will prove valuable to you as you pursue your career or continue your education. It represents countless hours of study, a willingness to explore new ideas, and a commitment to challenging yourself. It is also a symbol of the friendships you made, the connections you built with your professors, and the leadership you demonstrated in clubs, activities, and athletic teams. For many of you, your degree is a mark of your ability to balance work and family commitments while pursuing your education.

As you begin the next chapter of your lives and careers, I hope you will look back at your time at MCLA with fondness. Please keep in touch and visit often. Our alumni are great role models for the next generations of students. You are the best examples we have of how an MCLA education prepares you to succeed.

Everyone here at the College wishes the best for you in all your future endeavors. I wish you every success and look forward to calling you fellow alumni.

Sincerely

A Message from the President

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Adam Brunelle
Christopher Carey
Jennifer Chinn
Brandon Clinton

Ashley Correia
Tabitha Cruz
Daniel Cullinane
Austin Daniells
Joshua Derby

Just about a month from now I'm set adrift, with a diploma for a sail and lots of nerve for oars. - Richard Halliburton

Casey Devlin
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Jacklyn Vye
Eric Wall

Victoria Wickles

"Graduation is only a concept. In real life every day you graduate. Graduation is a process that goes on until the last day of your life. If you can grasp that, you'll make a difference." - Arie Pencovici

Faculty and Staff

Clubs & Organizations

"Put a grain of boldness into everything you do."
~Baltasar Gracian

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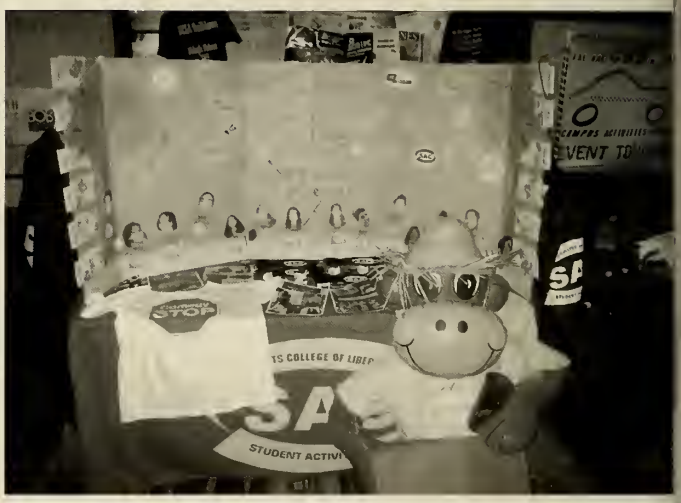

Colleges Against Cancer

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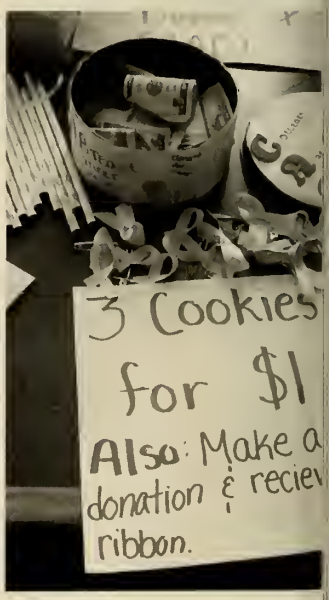

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Treasurer: Amanda Lane
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Vice President: Conor Moroney
Treasurer: Brittany Shea
Secretary: Megan Tainter

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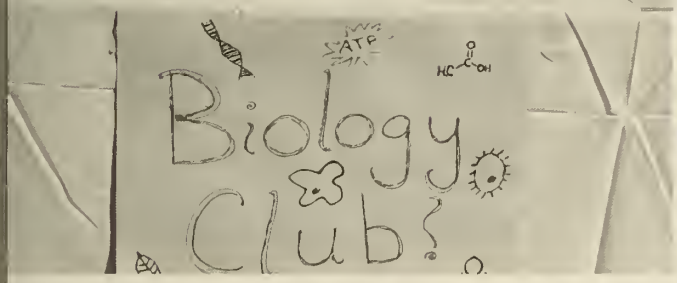
Vice President: Ted Randall
Treasurer: MilesThomas-Moore
Secretary: Kevin Tappin



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Secretary: Rachel Labare

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President: Gina Wagner
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Treasurer: Shataya Pride
Secretary: Brian Hubert

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Secretary: Christoper Bonasia

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Co-Presidents: Ashton Darret & Esther Fan Fan
Vice President: Ryan Howard
Treasurer: Dezee Olivo
Secretary: Michael Obasohan

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Treasurer: Shabori Burton
Secretary: Roberta Campbell

Yorick

Presidents: Kristin Blain
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Secretary: Melissa Wolfert

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Secretary: Chelsea Levine

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Ediotr in Chief: Kaite Bonneville (Fall) and Billy Shannon (Spring)

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Secretary: Jesse Clark

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Treasurer: Leah Rice
Secretary: Michelle Strumeyer

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Vice President: Carli McGurn
Treasurer: Nate Pichette
Secretary: Blake Barone

Lacrosse Club

President: Cecelia v.T.-Hush
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Treasurer: Meghan Shea
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Secretary: Nathan Pichette

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Treasurer: Makayla Lemaire
Secretary: Jess Fratus

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President: Nathan Crowell
Vice President: Daniel Goldberg
Treasurer: Megan Cronin
Secretary: Krystyna Hall

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President: Nhi Lam
Vice President: Lucy Hampton
Treasurer: Katie Bodnar
Secretary: Kim Tran

Outdoor Trailblazers

President: David (Max) Eve
Vice President: Daniel Celentano
Treasurer: Jeff Bliss
Secretary: Sarah Holman

Anime Club

President: Melanie Coombs
Vice President: Emily Yuskaitis
Treasurer: Samantha Woodward
Secretary: Kathleen Booth

Book Club

President: Melissa Wolfert
Vice President: Melanie Coombs
Treasurer: Melissa DeGenova
Secretary: Laura Krebs

Student Leadership

"Leaders are visionaries with a poorly developed sense of fear and no concept of the odds against them." - Robert Jarvik

Orientation Leaders

"Individual commitment to a group effort - that is what makes a team work, a company work, a society work, a civilization work."
- Vince Lombardi

Hawa Umarova
Ashton Darrett
Justin Vanderpoole
Ben Warren
Jaynelle Bellemore
Sam Chase
Michael Obasohan
Gina Wagner

Residential Life

Berkshire Towers:
Hawa Umarova
Kristy McCluskey
Drew Davis
Jill Gregoriou
Kate Stanton
Corey Brown
Michelle Webb
Rachel Barrett

Flagg Townhouses:
Jason Kaufman
Monique Symes
Sarah Plummer
Amanda Kenney
Kayla Maxwell
Steph Aprilliano
Ali Volk

Hoosac Hall:
Kevin Seeley
Jordan Maynard
Katelynn Larson
Marlene Romero
Stephanie Esposito
Katie Bodnar

Hoosac Spirit Days:
- Recyclable Fashion Show
- Harbor Idol
- Bake Off & Dance Off
- Dodgeball
- Musical Chairs

- Graffiti Night
Festivus for the Rest of Us
- How 'bout Them Apples
- Super Bowl Party
- 80's Dance Party
- Luau
- View from the Sandpit

- Stress Canes and Candy Balls
- Sugar Break
- Cookies and Coloring
- Taco Tuesday
- Mac 'n' Cheese Monday
- Relaxing with Jimmy & Jacqui

- Fudgin' Fridays
- Super Sundae Sundays
- Boo Bash
- Lil' Sibs Overnight
- Valentine's Day Gala
- Campus Center Takeover
- Family Dinner

Peer Advisors

Adam Duchemin, Costia Karolinski, Megan Tainter, Benjamin Warren, Sarah Holman, Jenna Hoag, Chelsy Baker, Katie Collins, Elizabeth Purce, Kayla Whitcomb, Jacqui Panasian, Brittany Shea, Eric Edmonds, Meghan McMahon, Kara Ward, Kristen Banks, Jaclyn Ford, Ashton Darrett, Maggie Rolla, Chelsey Burke, Jade Prickett, Deb Ambroseno, Bob Skerry, Kaitlyn Bonneville, Nadyne Damas, Brianna Inguanti, Brandon Clinton, Esther Fan Fan, Shabori Burton, Evanna Huda, Ashley Franco, Keifer Gammell, Michael Obasohan, Pat Moran, Justin Vanderpoole, Joanna Gillis, Tasha Robinson

"Sticks in a bundle are unbreakable."
- Kenyan Proverb

Student Ambassadors

Alex Poulin

Alex Nichipor

Ben Leahy

Danielle Gismondi

Devin Kibbe

Gina Wagner

Jamal Ahamad

Kat Sanford

Kelly Flanagan

Ben Warren

Danielle Morrissey

Katie Collins

Laura Silverman

Lily Cardaropoli

Maggie Rolla

Meg McMahon

Sara Scully

Kara Ward

Nico Mendez

Kaite Bonneville

Brandon Clinton

Jackie Nash

Alexander Munoz

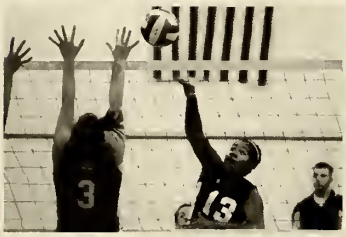
Jessica Nestell

Anita Parker

Dauri Torres

Athletics

Women's Soccer
Men's Soccer
Women's Cross Country
Men's Cross Country
Men's Golf
Women's Tennis
Men's Basketball
Women's Basketball
Men's Baseball
Women's Softball



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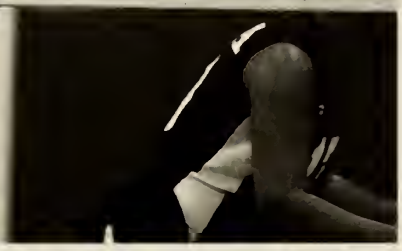

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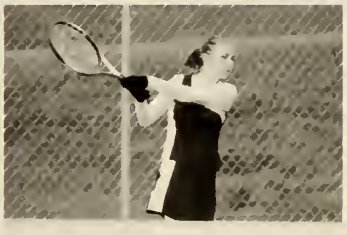

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Women's Soccer

Roster

1 Jen Wehner '12 Cooperstown, NY
2 Jess Tietgens '10 Stamford, VT
3 Lindsay Borbolla '13 Greenwich, NY
4 Jade Prickett '10 Westhampton, MA
5 Samantha Miller '11 Reading, MA
6 Shannon Maloney '13 Chesire, MA
7 Kaitlyn Dano '12 Schoharie, NY
8 Brianna Bresett '13 Adams, MA
9 Kasie Harrington '13 Dalton, MA
10 Gaby Fernandez '10 New Hyde Park, NY
11 Erin Bourque '10 Amerbury, MA
12 Hailee Pasa '13 Davenport, NY
13 Jackie Nash '12 Norton, MA
14 Danielle Parentaeu '11 South Hampton, MA
16 Lizzy Ryan '11 New Bedford, MA
17 Harmony McGorman '10 Orleans, MA
18 Keisha Devoe '13 Haverhill, MA
19 Lauren Fender '13 Plymouth, MA
20 Karrah Chapman '12 Rochdale, MA
21 Brianna Dandurant '13 Amesbury, MA
22 Chelsea Beauchemin '13 Adams, MA
23 Lauren Ford '12 Voorheesville, NY
24 Meg Wenk '13 Chatham, NY
26 Cece v.T.-Hush '10 Arlington, VT
27 Kate Tsapatsaris '13 Peabody, MA

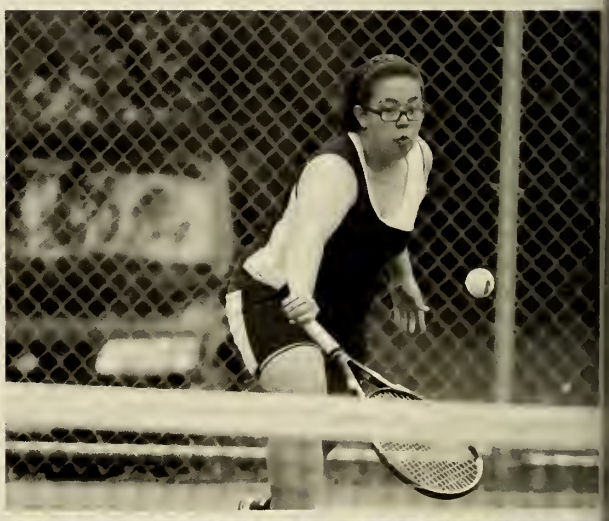
Men's Soccer

Roster

0 Allan Krause '13 Stony Point, NY
1 Sean Teehan '10 Belchertown, MA
2 Robert Dalby '13 Ludlow, MA
3 John McCarthy '10 Chicopee, MA
4 Dan Saunders '12 Tewksbury, MA
5 Tom Duplisea '12 Saugus, MA
6 Richard Massey '12 Cheshire, MA
7 Israel Diaz '10 Yonkers, NY
8 Ben Twomey '10 Dalton, MA
9 Joe Deady '10 Belchertown, MA
10 Austin Sniezek '12 Peru, MA
11 Mitchell Maselli '11 Clarksbury, MA
12 Tedd Cecchetelli '13 West Springfield, MA
13 Jake McCall '13 Lincoln, RI
14 Gary D'Annunzio '12 Valley Stream, NY
15 Casey Baker '11 Hudson, OH
17 Mike Rowland '11 Corinth, NY
18 Ryan Shewchuk '13 Springfield, MA
19 Jordan Hoofnagle '13 Peabody, MA
20 Leo Worcester '13 Haverhill, MA
21 Josh Dickinson '13 South Hadley, MA
22 Pat Endy '13 Catskill, NY
23 Charles Donavan-Martin '12 Apalachin, NY
24 Alex Levine '13 Island Park, NY
26 Liroy Ozinci '12 Plainview, NY
27 Scott Winslow '13 Lincoln, RI
30 Evan Coe '10 Hopewell Junction, NY
33 Adam Tarsa '11 Adams, MA
42 George Sullivan '13 Milton, MA
43 Brady Downey Clarksbury, MA

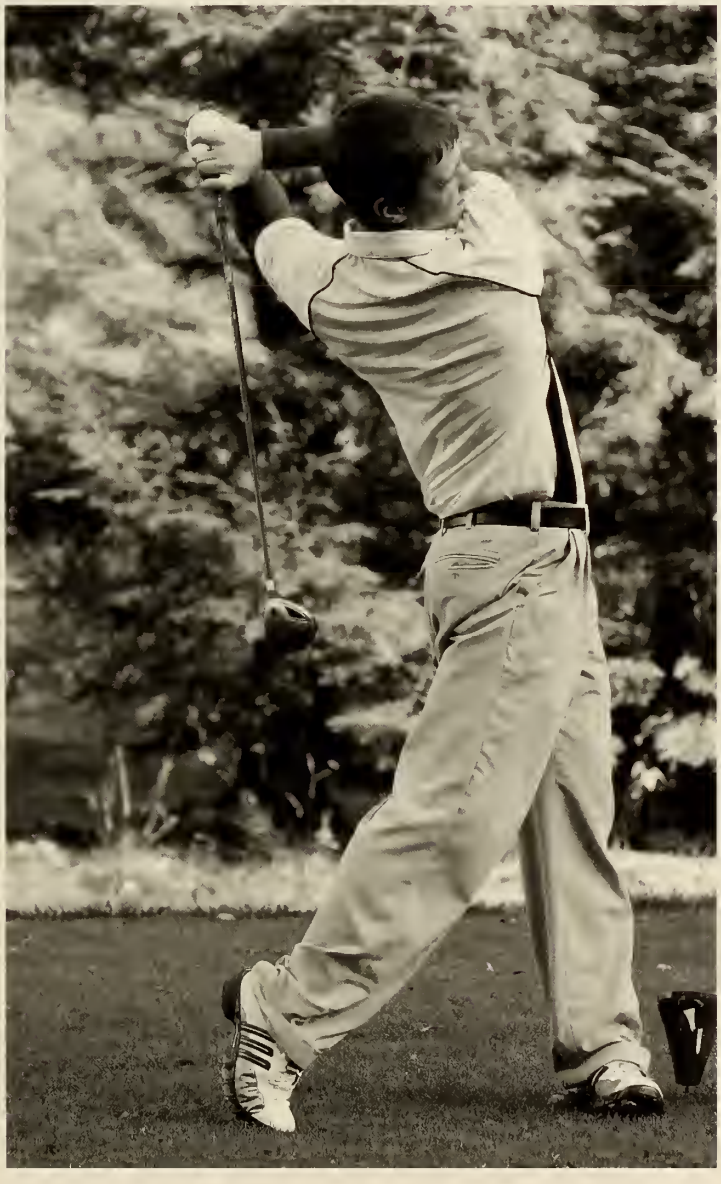
Women's Tennis

Roster
Kristen Banks '10 Norton, MA
Katie Bodnar '10 Pittsfield, MA
Jessica Guay '13
Laura Laureano '13 Lawrence, MA
Katherine Marchand '13 Quincy, MA
Emily Minns '13 Gardner, MA
Carrie Richards '12 Ludlow, MA



Men's Golf

Roster
Matt Anderson '10 Northbridge, MA
Matt Babeu '11 Adams, MA
Adam Ciborowski '11 West Springflied, MA
Sean Cota '13 Adams, MA
Kyle Gonthier '11 Westfield, MA
Shane Ortega '12 Pittsfield, MA
Andrew Polidoro '12 Pittsfield, MA
Colin Topham '12 Natick, MA



Cross Country

Men's

Walter Bouchard '12
West Boylston, MA

Nick Curelop '10
Athol, MA

David (Max) Eve '12
Amherst,MA

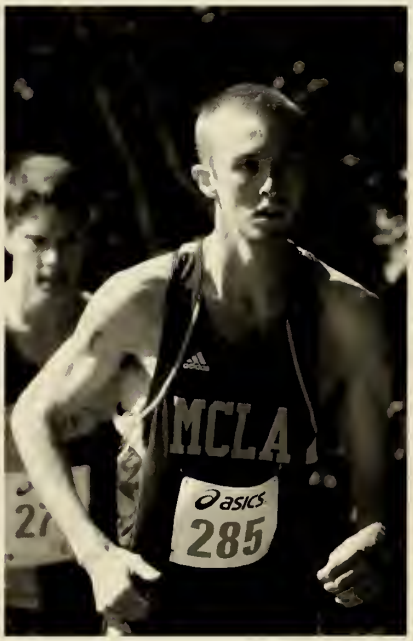
William Leahy '13
Waltham, MA

James Maloney '11
Medway, MA

Jonathan Pierre '13
Cambridge, MA

Nicholas Raby '11
Danvers, MA

Benjamin Warren '10
West Springfield,MA



Women's

Amelia Cahillane '11
Hatfield, MA

Caitlin Culver '12
Johnsonville, NY

Xhirley Gonzalez '11
North Adams, MA

Emily Johnson '11
Winchendon, MA

Sam Piragis '12
New Salem, MA

Jennifer Smaltz '12
Paxton, Ma

Jessica Smosky '11
North Adams, MA

Rachel Wright '11
Valatie, NY

Women's Volleyball

Roster

1 Collene Black ' 13 Plympton, MA
2 Amanda Borsotti '11 Lee, MA
3 Hayley Gundersen '12 Gansevoort, NY
4 Marta Brown Glens Falls, NY
5 Dana Judge '13 Colonie, NY
6 Alexandria Stasio '13 Haverill, MA
8 Kayla Bromback '12 Lee, MA
9 Ashley Schuster '13 Lansing, NY
10 Christina Kidd '11 Glens Falls, NY
11 Amanda Lane '11 Swansea, MA
13 Tasha Berroa '11 Brooklyn, NY
14 Stephanie Carone '11 North Attleboro, MA
15 Wendy Norcross '10 Rowe, MA
17 Sarah Greenwood '13 Northfield, MA

Women's Basketball

Roster

10 Alie Dobrovolc '12 Little Falls, NY
12 Johanna Miner '13 Greenfield, MA
14 Ali Leveille '10 Southampton, MA
15 Lucy Tremblay '13 East Greenbush, NY
20 Chelsey Burke '11 Southampton, MA
22 Jade Prickett '10 Westhampton, MA
23 Shannon Supczak '13 Palmer, MA
24 Hilary Perks '11 Saugerties, NY
30 Olivia McMullen '12 Broadalbin, NY
32 Jen Wehner '12 Cooperstown, NY
33 Molly Broda '11 Southampton, MA
34 Shabori Burton '11 Boston, MA
35 Laura Silverman '10 Clifton Park, NY

Men's Basketball

Roster

00 Pat Ryan '10 Woodstock, NY
3 Mike Perreault '10 Whitinsville, MA
4 James Rivers '11 Dalton, MA
5 Kris McLaughlin '11 Pittsfield, MA
11 Benny Cuprill '11 Albany, NY
13 Bilal Shabazz '13 Schenectady, NY
14 E'lon Julien '11 Bronx, NY
15 Ross Miner '13 Greenfield, MA
20 Ben Correia '12 Westerly, RI
21 Marvin Thompson '11 Springfield,MA
22 Joe Paoletti '10 Orange, MA
23 Adam Cottrell '13 North Adams, MA
24 Brendan Kordana '11 Adams, MA
25 Michael Robinson '12 Springfield, OH
30 Chris Harris '12 Dorchester, MA
33 Karl Sims '10 Detroit, MI
35 Derek Gibbons '10 Rochester, MA
40 Maurice Brown '13 Bronx, NY
42 Jon Greenberg '11 Antwerp, Belgium
50 Tyler Lennox '13 Bernardston, MA

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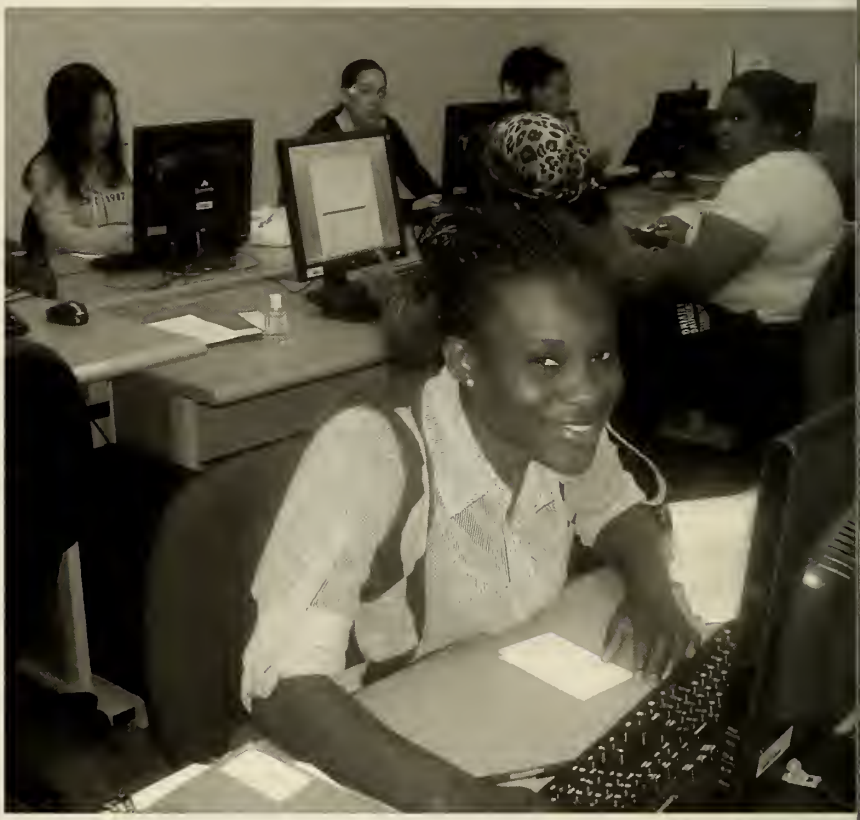

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